NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING FOR THE PROPOSED I-85 WIDENING AND INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENTS FROM NORTH OF N.C. 73 TO U.S. 29/601 CONNECTOR

TIP Project Nos. I-3802/I-3610/B-5365

Cabarrus & Rowan Counties

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) proposes to widen and improve I-85 from N.C. 73 in Cabarrus County to the U.S. 29/601 Connector in Rowan County and proposes interchange improvements at U.S. 29/601, Dale Earnhardt Boulevard, Lane Street, N.C. 152. Improvements are also proposed at the U.S. 29/601 Connector and N.C. 152 interchange.

The purpose of the project is to provide relief from present and future congestion and provide a higher level of efficiency on I-85. Additional right-of-way acquisition and the relocation of homes and businesses will be required for this project.

NCDOT will hold an informal Public Meeting for the above mentioned highway projects on **Tuesday**, **February 26, 2013** from **4 p.m. until 7 p.m.** at the **Kannapolis Train Station**, located at **201 S. Main Street** in **Kannapolis**.

The purpose of the meeting is to present the design revisions that were developed since the November 2012 Public Hearings. NCDOT representatives will be available at the meeting to answer questions and receive comments regarding the proposed projects. The opportunity to submit written comments and questions will be provided. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the above hours. Comments and information received will be taken into consideration as work on the project develops.

For additional information contact Leza Wright Mundt, NCDOT-Project Development & Environmental Analysis Unit at 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, by phone at (919) 707-6032, or via email at lwmundt@ncdot.gov. Additional material may be submitted until March 12, 2013.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who want to participate in these meetings. Anyone requiring special services should contact Jamille Robbins at (919) 707-6085 as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.